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### "Stealth Pine Tree" at Kalihi Elementary

VoiceStream PCS II Corporation is seeking the State Department of Accounting and General Services' approval to erect a unique "stealth pine tree" cellular communication facility on a fifteen foot high cut bank in the northeast corner of the Kalihi Elementary School campus. The recorded fee owner of the land is the City and County of Honolulu. The photo depicted in this article was taken from the draft EA and shows a sample tower (unknown location) with a crown of cellular antennae emerging near the top from what appear to be artificial branches bedecked with greenery. The communications facility will consist of the 80-foot high "stealth pine tree" tower, equipment cabinet, and phone and electrical panels supported on a 40 square foot concrete slab. The pine tree design attempts to mitigates visual effects on northbound and southbound commuters on Likelike Highway and valley residents. A range of opinions on this project exists. Mrs. Mary Rose McClelland and the Kalihi Neighborhood Board No. 16 have wholly endorsed the project noting that the Board "understand[s] that Kalihi Elementary School will receive



monthly rent from this ... arrangement with VoiceStream Wireless." The draft EA notes in section 6 that "Ms. Mary Steiner with the Outdoor Circle stated that she thought the stealth pine tree tower was appalling and she would attempt to stop construction." See page 4 for details.

# New Highway from Waimea to Kawaihae

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) announced its intent to prepare an EIS for a proposed new highway from Waimea Town to Kawaihae Harbor in the district of South Kohala. The project will provide improved highway, approximately 14-miles long which will ease movement of goods and people between Central and West Hawai'i. A letter describing the action and soliciting comments has been sent to federal, state and local agencies, as well as private organizations and individuals.

Scoping meetings are scheduled. For more information, please contact Abraham Wong of the FHWA by calling (808) 541-2700. Send comments to FHWA. See page 19.

### **Governor Accepts Final EISs**

Former Governor Benjamin Cayetano accepted the Lalamilo Project FEIS, submitted by the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, on November 27<sup>th</sup>, 2002.

On November 29th, 2002 he accepted the Primary Corridor Transportation Project, submitted by the City & County's Department of Transportation Services.

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**Draft Environmental Assessments** 



(1) Boys and Girls Club Temporary Facility

**District**: Wai 'anae **TMK**: 8-9-07:009

**Applicant**: City and County of Honolulu

Department of Community Services 715 S. King Street, Suite 311 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Pablo Venenciano (523-4073)

Approving Agency/Accepting

**Authority**: Same as above. **Consultant**: Townscape, Inc.

900 Fort Street Mall, Suite 1160

Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Konia Freitas (536-6999 x 105)

**Public Comment** 

**Deadline**: January 7, 2003

**Status**: DEA First Notice pending public comment.

Address comments to the applicant with copies to the consultant and OEQC.

**Permits** Grading, Building, Conditional Use

**Required**: Permit-Minor

The Boys and Girls Club received an EDI-SP grant from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. The Boys and Girls Club proposes to construct a temporary facility for program activities at Nanakuli High School. The site for the proposed activity is the east portion of the Nanakuli High School property, which is located at 89-980 Nanakuli Avenue, Wai'anae, HI 96792. This Draft EA has been prepared pursuant to the Federal HUD regulations, 24 CFR Part 58 and the Hawai'i Revised Statutes, Chapter 343, concerning environmental reviews.

The temporary facility is expected to serve between 80-100 children daily. The facility will consist of: 1 administrative office trailer and 1 storage trailer with covered deck, 1 volleyball court, 1 volleyball/basketball court and a parking lot. Nanakuli High School will grass the property up to the BGC facility. The BGC in turn, will grass the remaining area used for their facilities.

The BGC and Nanakuli High School have a Memorandum of Agreement whereby the BGC is allowed use of

undeveloped land until such time that Nanakuli High School proceeds with its own plans for the area. At that time the temporary buildings will be moved to another location. Project impacts are primarily related to short-term construction noise and fugitive dust, which will be mitigated through compliance with the appropriate State and County regulations.



#### (2) Canoe Halau at Ke'ehi Lagoon Beach Park

**District**: Honolulu

**TMK**: 1-1-003: 006, 007

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**Applicant**: City and County of Honolulu

Department of Design and Construction

650 South King Street Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Laverne Higa (527-6246)

**Approving Agency/Accepting Authority**: Same as above.

**Consultant**: Gerald Park Urban Planner (942-7484)

1400 Rycroft Street, Suite 876 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96814

**Public Comment** 

**Deadline**: January 7, 2003

**Status**: DEA First Notice pending public comment.

Address comments to the applicant with copies to the consultant and OEQC.

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**Permits** SMA; Grubbing, Grading, Stock-**Required**: piling; Building; Water; Noise

The Department of Design and Construction, City and County of Honolulu, proposes to construct a canoe halau at Ke'ehi Lagoon Park, Honolulu District, City and County of Honolulu, State of Hawai'i. The Park encompasses an area of 71.976 acres.

A building site of approximately 3,000 gross square feet has been selected. The building site is located at the toe of one of two elongated grass mounds fronting the shoreline. The grass mounds provide an elevated viewing area for canoe races. The structure will be "tucked" into the east-facing slope of the mound nearest to Honolulu International Airport. The facility does not encroach into the established 55-foot shoreline setback.

The canoe halau measures approximately 50 feet by 50 feet and will not exceed 25 feet in height. Interior space is allocated for adjustable storage racks that can accommodate up to 27 six-man canoes (40 to 46 feet in length), adjustable storage racks for 12 one-man canoes or kayaks, and secured storage for equipment (e.g. paddles, canoe covers).

Exterior improvements include an uncovered lanai area for instructional purposes adjoining the halau, handicap accessible walkways connecting to existing walkways, and a loading/unloading area for canoes.

The design of the structure will complement the design and roofline of the existing Judges Pavilion located at the eastern end of Ke'ehi Lagoon. The sides of the facility will be kept open (except for the side tucked into the earth mound) to maximize ventilation and ease in transporting canoes from the loading area and ocean directions. Decorative metal security gates and a low moss rock wall at the lanai area will embellish the structure.

The construction cost of the proposed project is estimated at \$.65 million and will be funded by the City and County of Honolulu. Construction will commence after all necessary permits and approvals are received.



### (3) Voicestream Wireless Cellular Communications Site at Kalihi Elementary School

**District**: Honolulu

**TMK**: 1-4-7: 2

**Applicant**: VoiceStream PCS II Corp.

615 Pi'ikoi Street, Suite 100 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96814 Contact: Roy Irei (593-0600)

Approving Agency/Accepting

**Authority**: City and County of Honolulu

Department of Planning and Permitting

650 South King Street, 7th Floor

Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Dana Teramoto (523-4648)

**Public Comment** 

**Deadline**: January 7, 2003

**Status**: DEA First Notice pending public comment.

Address comments to the applicant with copies to the approving agency or accepting

authority and OEQC.

**Permits** 

**Required**: CUP-Minor, Zoning

VoiceStream PCS II Corporation proposes to construct an 80-foot high monopole with six antennas, a 20-foot by 20-foot reinforced concrete slab, and two 4-foot high equipment cabinets. The monopole will be disguised as a pine tree. The 6-foot (long) by 8-inch (wide) by 4-inch (deep) antennas will be situated at the top of the pine tree tower. They will be painted green to blend with the monopole and surrounding plants. A 6-foot high chain link fence, a chain link fence atop a 4-foot high Concrete Masonry Unit wall and locked gate will enclose the facility.

The proposed communications equipment will be installed at Kalihi Elementary School, 2471 Kula Kolea Drive, in Honolulu, Oahu. The school encompasses about 10 acres of the 27.439-acre site. The site is owned by the City and County of Honolulu. VoiceStream PCS II Corporation proposes to lease a 400 square-foot area from the City. The monopole and accessory structures will be installed in a heavily forested area of the school grounds (northeastern corner). The entire site is zoned P-1 Restricted Preservation District and R-5 Residential District. The school is situated on the residentially zoned portion of the site.

A Conditional Use Permit-Minor (CUP-Minor) for a utility installation, type B, and zoning waiver are required. A freestanding antenna structure (monopole) is classified as a utility installation, type B, in the Land Use Ordinance. Type B utility installations must obtain a CUP-Minor in all zoning districts. A waiver is required because the monopole will be over the 25-foot height limit in the residential district.

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#### (4) Mau'umae Nature Park Master Plan

**District**: Honolulu

**TMK**: 3-3-014:015, 017

**Applicant**: City and County of Honolulu

Department of Design and Construction

650 South King Street Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Terry Hildebrand (523-4696)

**Approving Agency/Accepting** 

**Authority**: Same as above.

**Consultant**: Gerald Park Urban Planner (942-7484)

1400 Rycroft Street, Suite 876

Honolulu, Hawai'i 96814

**Public Comment** 

**Permits** 

**Deadline**: January 7, 2003

**Status**: DEA First Notice pending public comment.

Address comments to the applicant with copies to the consultant and OEQC. Grubbing, Grading, Stockpiling;

**Required**: Building, Electrical, Plumbing, Sidewalk/

Driveway and Demolition; Excavate Public Right-of-Way; Sewer Connection, Water Facility; Variance from Pollution Controls

The Department of Design and Construction, City and County of Honolulu, is preparing a Master Plan for site improvements at Mau'umae Nature Park located in the Kahala Water Subdivision, Mau'umae Ili, Palolo ahupua'a, Honolulu, Oahu. The lots comprising Mau'umae Nature Park are identified as taxmap key 3-3-014: 015 and 017 encompassing an area of 3.97 acres. Although Parcel 17 (1.52 acres) is part of the Nature Park, improvements to this lot are not proposed.

The existing lawn area of approximately 0.9 acres at the corner of Claudine Street and 16th Avenue will be removed and planted with new grass and groundcover. A meandering walkway will be built circling the new lawn and connect with the proposed parking lot to make the park accessible for the handicapped. Other improvements include a 20-stall off-street parking lot, comfort station, children's play area with a play apparatus, hiking trail, and a new irrigation system.

Construction costs for the proposed improvements are estimated at \$ .95 million and will be funded by the City and County of Honolulu through CIP funds. The City and County of Honolulu has appropriated \$145,000 for Phase I construction.

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**Consultant:** 

#### (5) Aloha Gardens at Helemano

**District**: Wahiawa

TMK: 6-4-3: Portion of 3
Applicant: ORI Anuenue Hale, Inc.

64-1510 Kamehameha Highway Wahiawa, Hawai'i 96786

Contact: Susanna Cheung (622-3929)

Approving Agency/Accepting

**Authority**: City and County of Honolulu

Department of Community Services 715 South King Street, #311 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Ernie Martin (527-6264) Kusao & Kurahashi, Inc. (988-2231)

2752 Woodlawn Drive, Suite 5-202

Honolulu, Hawai'i 96822

Status: FEA/FONSI issued, project may proceed.

Permits LUC Boundary Amendment; North Shore
Required: Sustainable Communities Plan Amend-

ment; Zone Change; CUP, Building, Special

Use

This Final Environmental Assessment Report for the development of Aloha Gardens (located at Helemano) was prepared pursuant to and in accordance with the requirements of Chapter 343 HRS and Chapter 200 of Title 11, Administrative Rules - Environmental Impact Statement Rules. The Aloha Gardens development is a proposed mixed use development that will include commercial, recreational, educational, residential and agricultural components. The applicant, ORI Anuenue Hale, Inc., is a private, non-profit agency based in Helemano that intends to develop Aloha Gardens to assist a broad spectrum of the community, including, but not limited to: the elderly, persons developmentally disabled, the economically disadvantaged (low income), immigrants, displaced workers, and the unemployed. The action that triggers this environmental assessment is the proposed use of City and Federal funds under the Community Development Block Grant Program.

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The project will allow ORI Anuenue Hale, Inc. to assist in developing and empowering the disadvantaged by improving their status through a combination of job skills development, elder care, accessible recreation, special needs housing, and support of diversified agriculture and related accessory activities. The applicant proposes a change in zoning from AG-1 RestrictedAgricultural District to B-1 Neighborhood Business District for a lot of approximately 7.49 acres. The project also entails rezoning approximately 35.9 acres from AG-1 Restricted Agricultural District to AG-2 General Agricultural District. The project will also require a State Land Use District Boundary amendment from the Agricultural District to the Urban District for the 7.49-acre site planned for a B-1 zoning and a Special Use Permit and Conditional Use Permit for about 7.41 acres within the proposed AG-2 zoned area.

At the time the Draft Environmental Assessment was prepared, the following land use regulatory approvals were to be pursued: State Land Use Boundary Amendment, North Shore Sustainable Communities Plan Amendment, Zone Change, and Special Use Permit. However, since that time, based on comments from the North Shore Neighborhood Board and recommendations from the Department of Planning and Permitting, we are now processing applications for a zoning variance and Special Use Permit to allow the proposed Aloha Gardens to proceed without the State Land Use Boundary Amendment, North Shore Sustainable Communities Plan Amendment and Zone Change. The project and its impacts have remained the same, however, we are pursuing alternative land use permit approvals that are favored by the North Shore Neighborhood Board and may be more acceptable to the Department of Planning and Permitting.

All permit application processes will continue, however, should the zoning variance and Special Use Permit be approved, the applicant has agreed to withdraw its support for the State Land Use Boundary Amendment, North Shore Sustainable Communities Plan Amendment and Zone Change.

The project will be a one-stop location to access a variety of community services. It is envisioned to be an integrated setting with outdoor areas for appreciation of nature and recreation, a learning center, a health and wellness center for elders, a group living facility, administrative facilities, diversified agricultural activities and a farmer's market.

### Final Environmental Impact Statements



# (6) Primary Corridor Transportation Project

**District**: Ewa and Honolulu

TMK: Various

**Applicant**: City and County of Honolulu

Department of Transportation Services 650 South King Street, 3rd Floor

Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Kenneth Hamayasu (527-6978)

**Approving Agency/Accepting** 

**Authority**: Governor, State of Hawai'i

c/o Office of Environmental Quality Control

235 South Beretania Street, Suite 702

Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

**Consultant**: Parsons Brinckerhoff, Inc.

Pacific Tower, Suite 3000 1001 Bishop Street Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Robert Bramen (531-7094)

Status: FEIS accepted by the Governor of

Hawaii on November 29, 2002.

**Permits** EPA Sec. 1424(e); Dewatering; Street **Required**: Usage; Discharge of Waters; Work on State

Property; SMA; CZM Consistency Determi-

nation; NPDES; Trenching

The City and County of Honolulu Department of Transportation Services has completed a Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) pursuantto Chapter 343 of the Hawai'i Revised Statutes for proposed transportation improvements in the primary transportation corridor of Oahu, the area from Kapolei in the Ewa District to the University of Hawai'i-Manoa (UH-Manoa) and Waikiki. The U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Transit Administration is participating in the project, and plans to release a second FEIS in the near future that would be in compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act.

The project is intended to address existing and future transportation demand and capacity needs, support socioeconomic growth, improve public transit services, facilitate

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transit-oriented development, and support current planning activities and policies. The Refined Locally Preferred Alternative (Refined LPA) will provide a comprehensive Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) system comprised of regional (Regional BRT) and urban core (In-Town BRT) elements. These elements will support and build upon the City's on-going conversion of its existing bus system to one that would use a hub-and-spoke network.

The Regional BRT includes extending the existing H-1 morning peak-period inbound zipper lane by three miles from Radford Drive onto the H-1 airport viaduct to Ke'ehi Interchange, and constructing an afternoon peak-period outbound zipper lane between Radford Drive and Waiawa Interchange. In addition, the Regional BRT will include a bus-only ramp at Luapele Drive. The Regional BRT will connect to a network of existing and future transit centers and park-and-rides.

The In-Town BRT will consist of a 12.8-mile highcapacity transit system providing frequent service and direct access to major activity destinations and residential neighborhoods throughout Honolulu's urban core from Middle Street to UH-Manoa and Waikiki. The system will operate in exclusive median lanes or curbside contra-flow lanes on 38 percent of its length. The remainder of the system will operate in semi-exclusive curb lanes (29 percent) and mixed traffic lanes (33 percent). The system includes 32 transit stops, spaced between 1/4 to 1/2 mile apart, in Kalihi, Iwilei, Chinatown, Downtown, the Capitol District, Kaka'ako, Ala Moana, McCully-Mo'ili'ili, UH-Manoa and Waikiki. During peak periods, In-Town BRT vehicles will operate at twominute intervals between Middle Street and Downtown, fourminute intervals between Downtown and UH-Manoa, and three-minute intervals between Downtown and Waikiki.

The In-Town BRT will use 60-foot long articulated buses. The buses will feature low floors that match the height of station platforms, and extra-wide doors for ease of boarding. Two bus technologies are being considered. First, electric buses, which draw power from plates embedded in the roadway, may be used. The embedded plates pose no safety hazard to pedestrians, motorists or other roadway users. Alternatively, the system may use hybrid-electric buses. This type of vehicle draws electricity from an on-board generator powered by a diesel engine. The In-Town BRT will provide for pre-paid boarding, traffic signal priority at selected intersections, limited stop spacing, and priority lane treatments, which will substantially improve travel time and reliability for transit patrons in the urban core.

The FEIS provides transportation, environmental impact and financial analyses of the Refined LPA and the

TSM Alternative, as well as the No-Build scenario. Where adverse impacts are identified, mitigation measures are provided. If funding is approved for the Refined LPA, construction of the first elements may begin in 2003, and be available for service by 2005. The entire system may be completed in about 14 years.

### National Environmental Policy Act



### Notice of Intent to Prepare An Environmental Assessment for the Proposed C-17 Aircraft Beddown at Hickam AFB, HI

The United States Air Force (USAF) will prepare an Environmental Assessment (EA) with the potential for an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) to identify and evaluate the potential environmental impacts of the basing of eight C-17 aircraft to Hickam AFB and the departure of four C-130 aircraft from Hickam AFB. The beddown of the C-17 aircraft at Hickam AFB is necessary to best support the Nation's military strategy and airlift needs. The proposed action would fulfill wartime requirements and peacetime training needs. The proposed action would require: (1) aircraft beddown and operations at Hickam AFB; (2) the construction of C-17 aircraft support facilities at Hickam AFB; (3) personnel requirements to support the C-17 aircraft beddown; (4) aircrew training requirements at existing facilities; and (5) the possible construction of a new assault runway or use of existing runways with painting to simulate a 3,500 foot runway.

The Air Force will conduct a scoping process to identify concerns of the public and federal, state and local agencies. The Air Force will prepare a Community Involvement Plan and will conduct public meetings at pertinent locations to ensure that the environmental analysis addresses the appropriate scope of issues and concerns. Public comments will be considered in the preparation of the EA. Notice of the date, time, and locations of the meetings will be made available to public officials, the communities, and the news media through the publication of a Newsletter and its dissemination and publication in the appropriate newspapers. Written comments on the scope of alternatives and impacts will be accepted and considered. The Air Force will accept appropri-

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ate input any time throughout this scoping process. The Draft EA will be available for a 30-day public review period and will be advertised in The Environmental Notice and local newspapers.

Please direct any written comments of requests for further information concerning this action to:

> Mr. Gary O'Donnell Chief, Environmental Planning Element 15 CES/CEVP 75 H Street, Bldg 1204 Hickam AFB, Hawai'i 96853-5233

### Nanakuli Beach Park Improvements

City and County of Honolulu Applicant:

Department of Design and Construction

650 South King Street Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813 Contact: Harold Mau (527-6330)

Approving Agency/Accepting Authority: Same as above.

**Public Comment** 

Deadline: December 23, 2002



### **Previously Published Projects Pending Public Comments**

#### **Draft Environmental Assessments**

#### Honouliuli Wastewater Treatment Plant New **Solids Handling Facilities**

**Applicant:** City and County of Honolulu

Department of Design and Construction

650 South King Street Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Mr. Po Chan (523-4324)

Approving Agency/Accepting **Authority**: Same as above.

**Public Comment** 

Deadline: December 23, 2002

#### 📤 Kalihi YMCA

**Applicant:** Young Men's Christian Association

> (YMCA) of Honolulu 1441 Pali Highway Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Glenn Tsugawa (531-3558)

Approving Agency/Accepting

**Authority**: City and County of Honolulu

> Department of Community Services 711 Kapi'olani Blvd., Rm 1422 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813 Contact: Paul Kobata (592-8626)

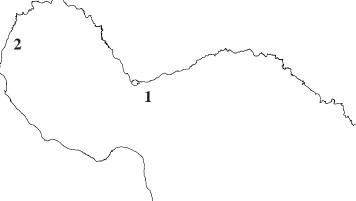
**Public Comment** 

Deadline: December 23, 2002

# **Maui Notices**

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### Final Environmental Assessments/Findings of No Significant Impacts (FONSI)





### (1) Hale Makua Kahului 16-Bed Expansion and Related Improvements

District: Wailuku
TMK: 3-8-07:84
Applicant: Hale Makua

472 Kaulana Street Kahului, Hawai'i 96732

Contact: Anthony Krieg (877-2761)

Approving Agency/Accepting

**Authority**: County of Maui, Office of the Mayor

250 South High Street Wailuku, Hawai'i 96793

Contact: Lance Taguchi (270-7855)

**Status**: FEA/FONSI issued, project may proceed.

**Permits** 

**Required**: Building

Hale Makua is a non-profit organization providing diverse healthcare services involving long-term nursing, rehabilitation, home health, day health, and foster family programs. Its Kahului facility, located on an approximately 8-acre parcel, currently provides 238 skilled/intermediate care facility nursing beds. With growing demand for such beds, Hale Makua proposes to expand its Kahului facility with the addition of 16 new beds. Additional facility modifications are also proposed to improve patient services and operational efficiencies.

Proposed improvements are as follows: 1) Sixteen (16) new skilled nursing beds (eight 2-bed units) are proposed to be located between the existing north and east wings. In addition to the new bed space, a nurse's station and common area are proposed; 2) The existing dining/activities room will be modified for use for rehabilitation services. This improvement will provide approximately 1,370 s.f. for rehabilitation services; 3) A new 1,451 sq. ft. dining/activities area is proposed for an area currently occupied by an open courtyard; 4) Approximately 29 new paved parking stalls in vicinity of

the existing entry drive would be provided to meet additional parking requirements; 5) New storage rooms for medical equipment and supplies are proposed at strategically identified locations.

Total project cost is estimated to be \$1.9 million. Privately raised funds, as well as State funding will be used for project implementation.

Inasmuch as lands underlying the Kahului facility are leased from the County of Maui, and as State funding will be used for project construction, compliance with Chapter 343, Hawai'i Revised Statutes is required.



### (2) Lusardi Residence Seawall Repairs

D2istrict: Lahaina
TMK: 4-3-15: 052
Applicant: Warner Lusardi

4871 Lower Honoapi'ilani Road

Lahaina, Hawai'i 96761

Contact: Rory Frampton (242-1955)

Approving Agency/Accepting

**Authority**: Department of Land and Natural Resources

1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 220

Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Sam Lemmo (587-0385)

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**Consultant**: Chris Hart and Partners

1955 Main Street, Suite 200 Wailuku, Hawai'i 96793

Contact: Rory Frampton (242-1955)

**Status**: FEA/FONSI issued, project may proceed.

**Permits** 

**Required**: SMA, SSV, CDUA, Building

The applicant is proposing to replace a section of failing seawall located at the makai section of his residential property along Keonenui Beach, Napili, Maui. In order to undertake this project it is necessary to apply for the following permits and authorizations: 1) Special Management Area Use Permit 2) Shoreline Setback Variance 3) Conservation District Use Application 4) an easement for the use of State Land.

The applicant's stated purpose for this project is to stabilize the shoreline in order to: remove a public hazard along the beach; prevent earthen soils from eroding and entering the coastal waters; and prevent future erosion of the property. The length of the replacement wall is approximately 55 feet. Approximately 35 feet of this wall will be located within parcel 52 and 20 feet of the project will be located partially within State land (however, this land was within the originally deeded property boundary). The wall will have a reinforced concrete foundation set 2-3 feet within the underlying rocky matrix. A reinforced masonry wall will be constructed with a rock fascia that will match surrounding seawalls. The width of the footing will be 7-8 feet wide and the wall will be 1-2 feet wide at the peak.



### Moloka'i Notices

# **Previously Published Projects Pending Public Comments**

#### **Draft Environmental Assessments**

#### **™** Kaunakakai Stream Restoration Project

**Applicant**: County of Maui

Department of Public Works & Waste

Management

200 South High Street Wailuku, Hawai'i 96793

Contact: Joe Krueger (270-7745)

and

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Building 230

Fort Shafter, Hawai'i 96858-5440 Contact: Edwina Williams (438-7053)

#### **Approving Agency/Accepting**

**Authority**: County of Maui

Department of Public Works & Waste

Management

200 South High Street Wailuku, Hawai'i 96793

Contact: Joe Krueger (270-7745)

**Public Comment** 

**Deadline**: December 23, 2002



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### **Final Environmental Impact Statements**



#### (1) Lalamilo Project

District: South Kohala

6-6-01: 54, 77; 6-6-04: 12-17 TMK:

**Applicant:** Department of Hawaiian Home Lands

> 1099 Alakea Street, Suite 2000 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Amy Arakaki (587-6450); Toll

Free: 974-4000 x 76450#

Approving Agency/Accepting

**Authority**: Governor of Hawai'i

c/o Office of Environmental Quality Control

235 South Beretania Street, Suite 702

Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

**Consultant:** PBR Hawai'i - Hilo Office

101 Aupuni Street, Suite 310

Hilo, Hawai'i 96720

Contact: Yukie Ohashi (961-3333)

Status: FEIS accepted by the Governor of

Hawaii on November 27, 2002.

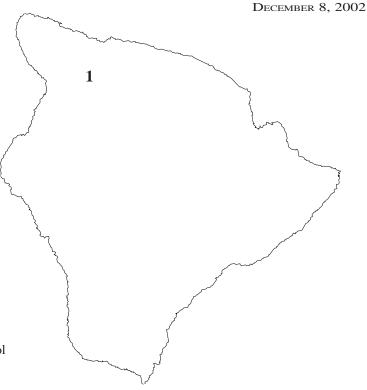
**Permits** Sec. 404-Clean Water Act; SCAP; Water Required: Facilities; Consolidation & Resubdivision;

Grading, Building; NPDES; UIC

The overall goal of the Lalamilo Project is to develop and deliver residential homestead lots to serve the native Hawaiian beneficiaries who have identified North Hawai'i as their preferred location for a residential homestead award. Two residential density alternatives were developed. The alternatives are as follows:

- Alternative A: 442 units (10,000 SF lots) (PRE-FERRED ALTERNATIVE)
- Alternative B: 155 units (combination of 10,000 SF and 1-acre lots)

The common elements of both residential alternatives include the following amenities: community center, park, archaeology preservation areas, and open space buffers. Previously planned commercial and light industrial uses have been removed from the Project.



The property is located in Waimea, South Kohala, on the island of Hawai'i and its land use designation is consistent with the Hawai'i County General Plan.

The plans are conceptual and will be refined in the subsequent development plan phase. The actual project density will largely depend on the feasibility of bringing in necessary infrastructure to serve the project (primarily potable water and wastewater treatment) and the long-term cost of operating a sewage treatment plant.

The construction is scheduled in two phases from 2003 - 2010. Residential construction will be timed to follow appropriate infrastructure development (water and wastewater systems, roadways, park facilities, etc.) in order to minimize the impacts of the Lalamilo Project.

# **Hawaii Notices**

**DECEMBER 8, 2002** 

# **Previously Published Projects Pending Public Comments**

#### **Draft Environmental Assessments**

**▶** Kamuela Senior Housing Project

**Applicant**: Hawai'i Island Community Development

Corporation

99 Aupuni Street, Suite 104 Hilo, Hawai'i 96720

Contact: Keith Kato (969-1158)

Approving Agency/Accepting

**Authority**: Housing and Community Development

Corporation of Hawai'i 677 Queen Street, Suite 300 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Contact: Janice Takahashi (587-0639)

**Public Comment** 

**Deadline**: December 23, 2002

**▶** Waimea Trails and Greenways

**Applicant**: County of Hawai'i

Department of Parks and Recreation

101 Pauahi Street, Suite 6 Hilo, Hawai'i 96720

Contact: Glenn Miyao (961-8311)

**Approving Agency/Accepting Authority**: Same as above.

**Public Comment** 

**Deadline**: December 23, 2002

**▶** Wright Road Fence Construction

**Applicant**: Department of Land and Natural Resources

Division of Forestry and Wildlife Natural Area Reserves System

P.O. Box 4849 Hilo, Hawai'i 96720

Contact: Lisa Hadway (974-4221)

**Approving Agency/Accepting Authority**: Same as above.

**Public Comment** 

**Deadline**: December 23, 2002



### Kaua'i Notices

# **Previously Published Projects Pending Public Comments**

#### **Draft Environmental Assessments**

#### **■** Kapa'a-Kealia Bike & Pedestrian Path

**Applicant**: County of Kaua'i

Department of Public Works

4444 Rice Street Lihue, Hawai'i 96766

Contact: Doug Haigh (241-6650)

**Approving Agency/Accepting Authority**: Same as above.

**Public Comment** 

**Deadline**: December 23, 2002



# **Shoreline Notices**

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#### **Shoreline Certification Applications**

Pursuant to § 13-222-12, HAR the following shoreline certification applications are available for inspection at the DLNR District Land Offices on Kauai, Hawaii and Maui and at Room 220, 1151 Punchbowl St., Honolulu, Oahu (Tel: 587-0414). All comments shall be submitted in writing to the State Land Surveyor, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 210, Honolulu, HI 96813 and postmarked no later than fifteen (15) calendar days from the date of the public notice of the application. If there are any questions, please call Nick Vaccaro at 587-0438.

Case No.	Date	Location	Applicant	Tax Map Key
OA-896	11/2502	Lot 1142-A of Land Court Application 677 (Map 260), land situated at Kailua and Kaneohe, Island of Oahu, Hawaii Address: 55 Kailuana Place Purpose: Building Permit	Towill Shigeoka & Associates, for General Partnership Kaneohe Ranch	4-3-22:11
MA-277	11/25/06	Lot 462 of Land Court Application 1804, land situated at Honuaula, Makawao, Island of Maui, Hawaii Address: Wailea Alanui Drive Purpose: Planning for use of Property	Warren S. Unemori Engineering, Inc., for Lokahi Ventures LLC	2-1-08:91
OA- 365-2	11/25/02	Being a Portion of R. P. 7494, Land Commission Award 8559-B, Apana 36 to W. C. Lunalilo Address: 55-089 Kamehameha Highway Purpose: Building Permit	Sam O. Hirota Inc., for Lusardi Family Trust	5-5-01: 07
OA-898	11/26/02	Lot 1 Portion of Kaluanui Beach Lots, Section "C", also being a portion of Land Commission Award 7713, Apana 32 to V Kamamalu, land situated at Kaluanui, Koolauloa, Island of Oahu, Hawaii Address: 53-827 Kam Highway Purpose: Building Permit	DJNS Surveying & Mapping, Inc., for Alan and Kathryn Whitmire	5-3-10: 20
OA-899	11/26/02	Portion of Nanakuli Beach Park, Executive Order 104, land situated at Nanakuli, Waianae, Island of Oahu, Hawaii Address: 89-229 Farrington Highway Purpose: Improvements	Engineers Surveyors Hawaii, for City and County opf Honolulu Department of Parks and Recreation	8-9-01: Por. 02
HA-264	11/26/02	Portion of Grant 872 to Emma Metcalf, Grant 1030 to Kaina, Grant 1158 to J. Pelham, R.P. 1654, Land Commission Award 2289, Apana 1 to Kauhola, R.P. 7192, Land Commission Award 8559-B, Apana 17 & 18 to Wm. C. Lunalilo, and R.P. 8164, Land Commission Award 5663, Apana 2 to Kahonu, Land situated at Pepeekeo to Kapehu, South Hilo, Island of Hawaii Purpose: Subdivision Approval	R. M. Towill Corporation, Inc., for Continental Pacific, LLC	2-8-07: 01 & por. 53 and 2-8-08: 01 & 03 and 2-8-09: 01
KA-166	11/27/02	Lot 35 of Haena Hui Lands, being a portion of R.P. 3596, Land Commission Award 10613, Apana 9 to A. Paki, land situated at Haena, Halelea, Island of Kauai, Hawaii Address: 5-7820 Kuhio Highway Purpose: Building Permit	Wagner Engineering Services, Inc., for Catherine M. Bartmess, Trust	5-9-05: 27
OA-900	11/27/02	Lot 206 of Land Court Application 979 (Map 13), land situated at Kahaluu, Koolaupoko, Island of Oahu, Hawaii Address: 43-375 Kamehameha Highway Purpose: Sale Agreement	M&E Pacific, Inc., for Finance Enterprises, Ltd	4-7-09: 04

# **Shoreline Notices**

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### **Shoreline Certifications and Rejections**

Pursuant to §13-222-26, HAR the following shorelines have been certified or rejected by the DLNR. A person may appeal a certification or rejection to the BLNR, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 220, Honolulu, HI 96813, by requesting in writing a contested case hearing no later than twenty (20) calendar days from the date of public notice of certification or rejection.

Case No.	Date	Location	Applicant	Tax Map Key
MA- 275	11/22/02 Certified	Being a portion of Land Patent Grant 8129, Land Commission Award 8559-B, Apana 23 to Wm. C. Lunalilo, land situated at Honolua, Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii Address: Honoapiilani Highway Purpose: Planning for future use of the property	Warren S. Unemori Engineering, Inc., for Maui Land and Pineapple, Co., Inc.	4-2-04 Portion of 32
KA- 165	11/22/02 Certified	Portion of Kapaa Park, Governor's Executive Order 1206, land situated at Kawaihau, Kauai, Hawaii Address: Kapaa Park Purpose: County Bike Path	Portugal Surveying & Mapping, Inc., for County of Kauai	4-5-7: 1, 4-5-8: 1, 4-5-11: 1 & 45, 4-5-12: 1 & 2, 4-5-13: 28, 4- 6-14: 34, 4-7-3: 1, 4-7-4: 29 and Portion of Kapaa Park
MA- 274	11/22/02 Certified	Lot2 of the Hale Mallia Subdivision, being a portion of R.P. 6384, Land Court Award 4240, Apana 3 to Kau, land Situated at Alaeloa, Lahaina, Island of Maui, Hawaii Address; 49 Hale Malia Place Purpose: Determine setback	Tanaka Engineers, Inc., for Neil and Nancy Fine	4-3-03: 92
OA- 692-2	11/22/02 Certified	Lot V, Portion of Pahonu Lots, land situated at Waimanalo, Koolaupoko, Oahu, Hawaii Address: 41-497 Kalanianaole Highway Purpose: Building Permit	Walter P. Thompson, Inc., for Kawananakoa	4-1-02: 09
MA- 222-3	11/22/02 Certified	Land Makai of Lower Honoapiilani Road, Lahaina, Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii Purpose: Improvements	Austin, Tsutsumi and Associates, Inc., for County of Maui	4-3-15 between parcels 08 & 36
MA- 221-3	11/22/02 Certified	Land Makai of Lower Honoapiilani Road, Lahaina, Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii Purpose: Improvements	Austin, Tsutsumi and Associates, Inc., for County of Maui	4-3-19: 47 & 4- 3-15: 35
MA- 223-3	11/22/02 Certified	Portion of Lot 1-A of the Bechert Estate Subdivision at Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii (Makai of Lower Honoapiilani Highway and South of Kahananui Stream)  Purpose: Improvements	Austin, Tsutsumi and Associates, Inc., for County of Maui	4-3-10: 09
OA- 888	11/19/02 Application Withdrawn by Applicant	Lot 553-D (Map 32) of Land Court Application 578, land situated at Kuliouou 1 <sup>st</sup> , Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Hawaii Address: 5937 B Kalanianaole Hwy Purpose: Building Permit	R.M. Towill Corporation, for Anne Oliver	3-8-01: 56
HA- 030-2	11/22/02 Withdrawn Inadvertently Published As Certified on 11/23/02	A portion of Royal Patent 7813, Land Commission Award 8559-B, Apana 8, to William C. Lunalilo, land situated at Puapuaa 2 <sup>nd</sup> , North Kona, Island of Hawaii, Hawaii Address: 75-6092 Alii Place Purpose: Building Permit	West Thomas Associates, for Jack Rose Gift Trust	7-5-20:21

# **Pollution Control Permit Applications**

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#### **Department of Health Permits**

The following is a list of some pollution control permits currently being reviewed by the State Department of Health. For more information about any of the listed permits, please contact the appropriate branch or office of the Environmental Management Division at 919 Ala Moana Boulevard, Honolulu.

#### Clean Air Branch

Branch Permit Type	Applicant & Permit Number	Project Location	Pertinent Date	Proposed Use
Clean Air Branch, 586-4200, Temporary Covered Source Permit	Keauhou Kona Construction Corporation CSP 0504-01-CT (Modification)	Various Temporary Sites, State of Hawaii Initial Location: Nanea Golf Course, Kaupulehu, North Kona, Hawaii	Issued: 11/12/02	380 TPH Portable Crushing and Processing Plants
Clean Air Branch, 586-4200, Temporary Covered Source Permit	Tajiri Lumber, Ltd. CSP 0446-02-CT	Various Temporary Sites, State of Hawaii Initial Location: Fort Shafter Flats, Honolulu, Oahu	Issued: 11/14/02	270 TPH Mobile Crushing Plant with 163 Hp Diesel Engine
Clean Air Branch, 586-4200, Covered Source Permit	Hawaii Electric Light Company, Inc. CSP 0235-01-C	UTM Coordinates: 286.6 km E, 2172.3 km N, Zone 5, Keaau, Hawaii	Issued: 11/15/02	One (1) 20 MW Combustion Turbine with a 600 kW Diesel Engine Generator, and One (1) 15.5 MW Boiler with a Multi-Cyclone Dust Collector
Clean Air Branch, 586-4200, Covered Source Permit	U.S. Navy, Navy Region Hawaii Public Works Center CSP 0113-01-C (Renewal)	Waiawa Water Pumping Station, Pearl City, Oahu	Issued: 11/15/02	One (1) 2.0 MW Combustion Turbine
Clean Air Branch, 586-4200, Covered Source Permit	Maui Electric Company, Ltd. CSP 0030-06-C (Renewal)	Miki Basin Generating Station, Miki Basin, Lanai	Issued: 11/19/02	Eight (8) D iesel Engine Generators
Clean Air Branch, 586-4200, Noncovered Source Permit	Hawaiian Research, Ltd. NSP 0469-01-N (Amendment)	Kawailoa Drive, Haleiwa, Oahu	Issued: 11/20/02	Grain Processing Facility

#### **Safe Drinking Water Branch**

Branch & Permit Type	Applicant & Permit Number	Project Location	Pertinent Dates	Proposed Use
Safe Drinking Water Branch, 586-4258, UIC Permit	BEI, LLC and BEI Hawaii UH-1253	Brewer Environmental Industries (BEI), LLC 60 Kuhio Road, Hilo	n/a	Permit renewal of 2 injection wells for surface drainage.
Safe Drinking Water Branch, 586-4258, UIC Permit	PIA - Kona Limited Partnership; UH-2200	Nanea Golf Course Club House & Parking Lot; Kaupulehu - Mauka of Queen Kaahumanu, TMK 3-7-2-3:12	tba	Construction of 2 injection wells for surface drainage.
Safe Drinking Water Branch, 586-4258, UIC Permit	Schuler Homes, Inc. UH-2201	Pualani Estates Subdivision, Phase I Puapuaaiki, Puapuaanui, North Kona 3-7-5-17:28 & 29	n/a	Construction of 22 injection wells for surface drainage.
Safe Drinking Water Branch, 586-4258, UIC Permit	Patricia & Thomas Coulson UO-1950	Sunset Paradise Apartments 68-172 Au Street, Waialua	n/a	Change-of-Operator of 2 injection wells for sewage disposal.
Safe Drinking Water Branch, 586-4258, UIC Permit	Association of Apartment Owners UO-1799	Mokuleia Beach Colony 68-615 Farrington Highway, Waialua	n/a	Permit renewal of 14 injection wells for sewage disposal.
Safe Drinking Water Branch, 586-4258, UIC Permit	U.S. Department of the Navy UO-1995	Navy Retention Area at Barbers Point Barbers Point, Kapolei TMK 1-9-1-13:1	n/a	Permit renewal of 173 injection wells for surface drainage.

# **Coastal Zone News**

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#### Special Management Area (SMA) Minor Permits

Pursuant to Hawai'i Revised Statute (HRS) 205A-30, the following is a list of SMA Minor permits that have been approved or are pending by the respective county/state agency. For more information about any of the listed permits, please contact the appropriate county/state Planning Department. City & County of Honolulu (523-4131); Hawai'i County (961-8288); Kaua'i County (241-6677); Maui County (270-7735); Kakaako (587-2878).

Location (TMK)	Description (File No.)	Applicant/Agent
Hawaii: (1-5-31: 60)	Bed & breakfast operation (SMAA 02-43)	Gretchen Delaney
Honolulu: (2-6-8: 34)	Two new kiosks - \$81,000 (2002/SMA-53)	Hilton Hawn Village Beach Resort and
Honolulu: (3-1-32: 4)	Utility installation (2002/SMA-56)	Spa Verizon Wireless / Mike Beason
Honolulu: (8-4-4: 6)	Utility installation (2002/SMA-36)  Utility installation (2002/SMA-47)	AT&T Wireless Services, Inc. / Kusao
Hollolulu: (8-4-4: 0)	Curity instanation (2002/SMA-47)	and Kurahashi, Inc.
Maui: Kihei (3-8-13-14)	Equipment shelter (SM2 20020151)	Verizon Wireless
Maui: Kahana (4-3-9-2)	Office addition (SM2 20020166)	Watson, Beverly
Maui: Huelo (2-9-2-33)	Huelo Hillside Subdivision (SM2 20020167)	Stephen Fulton
Maui: Sprecklesville (3-8-2-	Landscape burm (SM2 20020168)	Ross, Alice Kathy
117)	Editascape barin (SN12 20020100)	Ross, Three Rully
Maui: Wailea (2-1-23-1)	Grading (SM2 20020169)	Lucky Seven Dev., LLC
Maui: Kahului (3-7-9-13)	Interior alterations (SM2 20020170)	Riecke Sunnland Kono Architects, Ltd.
Maui: Wailuku (3-3-1-1)	Remove pipe bollards (SM2 20020171)	Williams, Robin
Maui: Kihei (2-2-24-21)	Tents (SM2 20020172)	Garraway, Brian
Maui: Lahaina (4-4-13-8)	Spa & Fitness center (SM2 20020173)	HRM/BRE Maui, LLC
Maui: Kihei (2-2-23-7)	Walkway addition (SM2 20020174)	Silversword Engineering, Inc.
Maui: Kihei (3-9-55-17)	Workshop additions (SM2 20020175)	Fulton, Terry & Elizabeth
Maui: Kihei (3-9-30-16)	Craft fair (SM2 20020176)	Maui's Best Gift and Craft Fair
Maui: Haiku (2-7-6-20)	Subdivision (SM2 20020178)	Linda Taylor Engineering Inc.
Maui: Paia (3-8-2-26 & 50)	Consolidation (SMX 20020615) Pending	Newcomer, Lee Land Surveyors, Inc.
Maui: Lahaina (4-5-4-59)	Ohana (SMX 20020616) Pending	Ala Moana Maui LLC
Maui: Lahaina (4-5-4-9)	Ohana (SMX 20020617) Pending	Ala Moana Maui LLC
Maui: Lahaina (4-3-3-15)	Repair Seawall (SMX 20020618) Pending	Pitzer Built Construction
Maui: Lahaina (4-6-28-51)	Wall & lanai extension (SMX 20020619)	Loberg, Ted & Leigh, Mary Ann
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Maui: Haiku (2-7-13-32)	Residence (SMX 20020620) Pending	Webb Construction & Bldg Supply Inc.
Maui: Lahaina (4-3-8-76)	Addition (SMX 20020622) Pending	Santos, Josta J
Maui: Huelo (2-9-2-11, 17, 35)	Underground utility (SMX 20020627) Pending	Wayne Arakaki, Engineer, LLC
Maui: Wailea (2-1-23-3)	Interior alteration (SMX 20020630) Pending	Island Design Center
Maui: Kihei (3-9-1-131)	Interior alteration (SMX 20020632) Pending	Withers, Sherry J.
Maui: Paia (2-6-8-26)	Demolition (SMX 20020633) Pending	Johnson, James I
Maui: Waihee (3-2-10-21)	Residence & pool (SMX 20020634) Pending	Cooper, Martin V.
Maui: Keanae (1-1-3-1)	Replace sewer (SMX 20020635) Pending	County Parks & Recreation.
Maui: Hana (1-3-9-77)	Residence (SMX 20020636) Pending	Wagner, Nick
Maui: Lahaina (4-4-13-1)	Transfer switch (SMX 20020638) Pending	Maui Electric Company, Ltd.
Maui: Paia (2-5-5-18)	MECO Substation (SMX 20020638) Pending	Maui Electric Company, Ltd.
Maui: Makena (2-4-6-8)	Cabana for pool (SMX 20020640) Pending	Maui Architectural Group
Maui: Hana (1-3-2-42)	Residence (SMX 20020642) Pending	Bryce, Karen
Maui: Lahaina (4-5-12-5)	Renovations (SMX 20020644) Pending	Klask, Stanford
Maui: Haiku (2-9-5-49)	Additions (SMX 20020645) Pending	Wagner, Nick
Maui: Paia (3-5-2-26)	Roof repairs (SMX 20020646) Pending	Ruben, Michael
Maui: Kihei (3-69-2-125)	Concrete pads (SMX 20020647) Pending	Maui Electric Company, Ltd.
	Construct well (SMX 20020648) Pending	Serle, Ronald
Maui: Haiku (2-8-3-6)	Construct well (SMX 20020648) Pending Addition (SMX 20020649) Pending	Serle, Ronald Story, Robert C.
Maui: Haiku (2-8-3-6) Maui: Huelo (2-9-7-69)	Addition (SMX 20020649) Pending	Story, Robert C.
Maui: Haiku (2-8-3-6) Maui: Huelo (2-9-7-69) Maui: Kihei (3-9-48-77)	Addition (SMX 20020649) Pending Addition (SMX 20020650) Pending	
Maui: Haiku (2-8-3-6) Maui: Huelo (2-9-7-69)	Addition (SMX 20020649) Pending	Story, Robert C. Ordonez, Mario

# **Land Use Commission Notices**

**DECEMBER 8, 2002** 



# Hualalai Village Condominium and Pacific Cultural Center Development

The LUC has received the following request regarding a proposed district boundary amendment, pursuant to Chapter 205, HRS:

**Docket No.** A02-737

**Petitioner**: University of the Nations Bencorp ("U of N

Bencorp")

**Location**: Hualalai, North Kona, Hawaii

Acreage: 62 acres

**TMK**: (3) 7-5-10: 85 and (3) 7-5-17: 06

**Request**: Agricultural to Urban **Date Filed**: November 20, 2002

If you would like further detailed information on this matter, please contact:

State Land Use Commission

Location Address Leiopapa A Kamehameha Building (State Office Tower) 235 S. Beretania Street, Room 406 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Mailing Address P.O. Box 2359

Honolulu, Hawaii 96804-2359

Phone: 587-3822

### **Federal Notices**

#### EIS for New Highway from Waimea to Kawaihae Harbor

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) announced its intent to prepare an EIS for a proposed new highway from Waimea Town to Kawaihae Harbor in the district of South Kohala. The project will provide improved highway, approximately 14-miles long which will ease movement of goods and people between Central and West Hawai'i. A letter describing the action and soliciting comments has been sent to federal, state and local agencies, as well as private organizations and individuals. Scoping meetings are scheduled. For more information, please contact Abraham Wong of the FHWA by calling (808) 541-2700. Send comments to: Mr. Abraham Wong, Hawai'i Division Administrator, Federal Highway Administration, 300 Ala Moana Boulevard, Room 3-306, Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813 (see, 67 F.R. 71231, November 29, 2002).

#### **Turtle Conservation Measures in Pelagic Fisheries**

The Western Pacific Fishery Management Council (WPFMC) will meet on December 16, 2002, at 2:00 p.m. in the afternoon at 1164 Bishop Street, Suite 400, Honolulu to

discuss new provisions for turtle conservation measures in pelagic fisheries, and other business. Call Kitty Simonds at (808) 522-8220 for details (see, 67 F.R. 71538, December 2, 2002).

#### **Guam Critical Habitat**

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) announced that a draft economic analysis of proposed designations of critical habitat for the Mariana fruit bat and the Micronesian kingfisher on Guam, and the Mariana crow on Rota are available for review and comment. The draft economic analysis shows that over a 10-year period, the estimated total direct cost on Guam would be about \$1.4 million and the estimated total direct cost on Rota would be about \$149,000. To allow peer reviewers and the public additional time, the FWS has extended the public comment period until January 6, 2003. Send comments to Field Supervisor, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Pacific Islands Office, 300 Ala Moana Boulevard, P.O. Box 50088, Honolulu, Hawai'i 96850-0001. For details call Paul Henson at (808) 541-3441 (see, 67 F.R. 72407, December 5, 2002).